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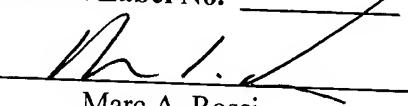


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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS HAVING REDUCED POWER CONSUMPTION MODE AND CONTROL METHOD THEREFOR

Enclosed are:

- THIRTY-EIGHT (38) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1-24.
- An Assignment of the invention to CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA
- The application claims priority from Japanese Application(s): 2002-294672 filed October 8, 2002; and 2002-294671 filed October 8, 2002.
- Certified copies of the priority documents are enclosed.

- A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement.

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